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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 28, 2004, please consider the following amendment and remarks. This Response and Amendment is accompanied by a Notice of Appeal, its required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b), Petition for Three-Month's Extension of Time up to and including Wednesday July 28, 2004 and its required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3).

It is believed that no fee(s) other than the fee for three month's extension of time and Notice of Appeal is required for these submissions. However, should the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office determine that any other fee(s) is due or that any refund is owed for this application, the Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge the required fee(s) and/or credit the refund(s) owed to our Deposit Account No. 04-0100.

